

RE: ET Docket # 05-247

There is obviously no safety concern with this. It is a simple money issue. The airport sees Dollar Signs, and can't stand someone giving away what they charge for. If Continental wants to give it away, then I could see no good reason for stopping it. To allow this to be shut down would be no different than another ISP shutting down their competition because they decided to give away service that they had to pay for, such as in this case. Clearly this is ridiculous for the Airport Authority to shut this down. If it is a true Antenna problem, then mandate that the Airport has to provide the antenna system free of charge, or allow Continental to put a building-wide antenna system like the one that exists. To make them use the existing system, would be an obvious monopoly. The Phone Companies have to give space in their COs to competitors, and use of their lines for the same reason that Continental should have access to their existing system, or free use of the Airport Wi-Fi system that exists.